

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 7:10 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, December 15, 2020. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7471.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 15 public bills, H.R. 8952–8966; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 1261–1262 were introduced. **Pages H7153–54**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Page H7155**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 244, to maximize land management efficiencies, promote land conservation, generate education funding, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 116–639);

H.R. 4135, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to remove the statue to the memory and in honor of Albert Pike erected near Judiciary Square in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes, with an amendment (H. Rept. 116–640);

H.R. 4139, to provide for the boundary of the Palo Alto Battlefield National Historic Park to be adjusted, to authorize the donation of land to the United States for addition to that historic park, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 116–641);

H.R. 4679, to require the Comptroller General of the United States to submit to Congress a report examining efforts by the Regional Fishery Management Councils, the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission, and the National Marine Fisheries Service to prepare and adapt United States fishery management for the impacts of climate change, and for other purposes (Rept. 116–642);

H.R. 5472, to redesignate the Jimmy Carter National Historic Site as the “Jimmy Carter National Historical Park” (H. Rept. 116–643);

H.R. 5852, to redesignate the Weir Farm National Historic Site in the State of Connecticut as the “Weir Farm National Historical Park” (H. Rept. 116–644); and

H.R. 6196, to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 to provide for third-party submission of evidence relating to a trademark application, to establish expungement and ex parte proceedings relating to the validity of marks, to provide for a rebuttal presumption of irreparable harm in certain proceedings, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 116–645). **Page H7153**

**Senate Referrals:** S. 2315 was held at the desk. S. 3418 was held at the desk. S. 3451 was held at the desk. S. 4996 was held at the desk. S. 1031 was held at the desk. S. 1310 was held at the desk. S. 633 was held at the desk. S. 2730 was held at the desk. **Page H7151**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appear on pages H7151–52.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 1:30 p.m. and adjourned at 1:36 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

No hearings were held.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1067)

H.R. 8900, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2021. Signed on December 11, 2020. (Public Law 116–215)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

**Committee on Armed Services:** Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, to receive a closed briefing on Department of Defense cyber operations, 2:30 p.m., SVC–217.

**Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:** Subcommittee on Manufacturing, Trade, and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine the impact of COVID–19 on the live event entertainment industry, 10 a.m., SR–253.

Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet, to hold hearings to examine expanding American entrepreneurship outside traditional hubs, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine the role of private agreements and existing technology in curbing online piracy, 2:30 p.m., SD-106.

### House

No hearings are scheduled.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of December 15 through December 18,  
2020

### Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of the nomination of Thomas L. Kirsch II, of Indiana, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Seventh Circuit, post-cloture.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Committee on Armed Services:* December 15, Subcommittee on Cybersecurity, to receive a closed briefing on Department of Defense cyber operations, 2:30 p.m., SVC-217.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* December 16, Subcommittee on Economic Policy, to hold

hearings to examine the United States and China, focusing on winning the economic competition, 9:30 a.m., WEBEX.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* December 15, Subcommittee on Manufacturing, Trade, and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine the impact of COVID-19 on the live event entertainment industry, 10 a.m., SR-253.

December 15, Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet, to hold hearings to examine expanding American entrepreneurship outside traditional hubs, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Finance:* December 16, Subcommittee on Health Care, to hold hearings to examine the Alzheimer's crisis, focusing on testing and treatment pipelines and fiscal implications, 2:30 p.m., WEBEX.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* December 16, to hold hearings to examine irregularities in the 2020 election, 10 a.m., SD-342/WEBEX.

*Committee on Judiciary:* December 15, Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine the role of private agreements and existing technology in curbing online piracy, 2:30 p.m., SD-106.

December 16, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine pending nominations, 10 a.m., SH-216.

December 16, Subcommittee on Border Security and Immigration, to hold hearings to examine Hong Kong's pro-democracy movement through United States refugee policy, 2 p.m., SD-G50.

### House Committees

*Committee on Oversight and Reform,* December 17, Full Committee, hearing entitled "The Role of Purdue Pharma and the Sackler Family in the Opioid Epidemic", 9 a.m., Webex.